



## Emma Armstrong Scholarship



This scholarship honors the memory of Emma Armstrong from Hussar, Alberta. Emma had a strong personality with a huge smile and an infectious laugh that came right from her toes. She was very driven, social and personable which helped develop lifelong friendships. She was always willing to lend a hand and step up when needed. Emma enjoyed many activities and sports through school and extracurricular, such as curling, badminton, baseball, hockey and many water skiing activities. Often she could be found in a leadership role with much respect from her peers. She was born and raised in Hussar and attended Hussar School for elementary. With no junior high option in Hussar, students from Emma's class moved to their choice of schools in the surrounding area. Emma continued her education at Crowther Memorial Junior High and Strathmore High School. With classmates, friends and family all attending different schools in different communities, it allowed many new friendships and bonds to be made.

Emma was killed in a tragic car accident at the age of 16, just 11 days before her 17th birthday. Her parents Clay and Colleen along with her brother Cort wish to honour her memory by offering a scholarship from the generous contributions made from friends, family, teams, clubs and different organizations from surrounding communities.

This scholarship will be available to any student who has attended a school in **Strathmore, Drumheller, Bassano** or **Wheatland Crossing**.

Emma would have been a high school graduate in 2019. This year we are offering two - \$1000.00 scholarships to the successful applicants. Next year a new scholarship amount will be available. This scholarship is given to a worthy **Grade 12** recipient(s) who are entering post-secondary school, within the next three years.

### Eligibility Criteria

Applicant must have some or all of the following:

- Must have taken majority of high school in one of the above listed schools
- Must be an active member of their community
- Demonstrates strong leadership skills while being a team player
- Strong values and able to stand up for them
- Sports orientated with a competitive nature and very coachable
- Well rounded with the ability to show compassion, a good role model

### Submission

Submit a minimum 400 word self-written letter introducing yourself and outlining the criteria that best describes you.

Submit two character reference letters by non-family members.

### Deadline

Complete applications should be submitted to [Ea11scholarship@gmail.com](mailto:Ea11scholarship@gmail.com) by **June 1, 2022**.

**\*\*Scholarship will be awarded once the recipient shows proof of enrollment upon the start of their program.**